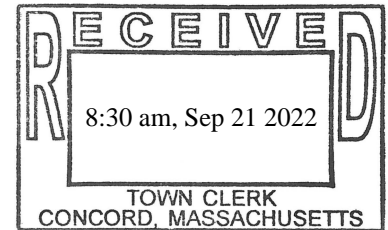


Concord 2025 Executive Committee
History & Education Subcommittee
Tuesday, August 23, 2022, 4 pm
Concord Museum, 53 Cambridge Turnpike
In-person meeting



Present: David Wood, Tom Bates, Susan Foster, Joel Bohy, Reed Gochberg, Beth van Duzer, Kim Frederick

1. Administrative Items

- a. Call to Order: 4.04 pm – a quorum being present.
- b. David Wood moved to accept and approve the July 26, 2022, Concord 2025 Executive Committee, History & Education Subcommittee minutes. Kim Frederick seconded the motion. It was unanimously voted to approve the minutes.

2. Discussion / Possible Action Items

- a. Committee Charge – Moved closer to final wording. Reed Goldberg moved that **Susan Foster** will work on wordsmithing today's brainstorm for the next meeting. Joel Bohy seconded the motion.
- b. Ideas – after discussion it was decided there are the following goals to work toward for Summer 2023
 - i. Develop curriculum training
 - ii. Develop Hoverlay. Town could purchase a certain mile radius. Each institution could then create their own content. Hoverlay would potentially have 2-day training workshops, huge potential to incorporate with schools to create content, programming, etc. – this puts technology in the hands of students.
 - iii. Develop list of primary sources from 58 towns that took part in April 19. Work with Massachusetts Historical Society (MHS), local town archives, and historical societies to see what documentation exists. **Kim Frederick** will contact MHS. **David Wood** will contact Anke Voss, Curator of the William Munroe Special Collections, and Nate Smith, Town of Concord Archivist. **Susan Foster** to contact school curriculum coordinators to see if any are interested in attending a 2024 summer curriculum workshop utilizing primary sources inclusive of other towns.
 - iv. Host an “*In Their Words*” event. Gather together above Archivists / Historical Societies to discuss what primary sources they have. The goal is to create a curriculum inclusive of the 58 communities. Additionally, the

documents could focus on more recent research with an updated viewpoint. Such as stories about women, enslaved individuals, free Black individuals, children, etc.

3. Bob Gross is a new member of the committee.
4. Meeting adjourned at 4.58 pm

Minutes respectfully submitted,
Beth van Duzer